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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Shinichiroh IKEMASU et al.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: April 19, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 19, 2003 for two months from February 19, 2004 to April 19, 2004 (1 month extension of time \$110.00 already paid on March 19, 2004).

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$310.00 to cover the cost of the extension. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2866. This paper is filed in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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